

**BOX SEQUENCE**  
**PATENT**  
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For:	NOVEL ARTIFICIAL NUCLEIC ACIDS OF N-O BOND CROSSLINKAGE TYPE		

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Missing Parts  
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January 8, 2007 (Monday)

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed October 6, 2006, the period for response having been extended one (1) month to January 6, 2007, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This Reply includes:

- Amendments** to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.
- Amendments** to the Sequence Listing begin on page 4 of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.
- An **Appendix** including the paper and CRF disk copy of the Sequence Listing is attached following page 6 of this paper.